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The Honorable Sheldon Whitehouse
United States Senate
502 Hart Senate Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20510

Subject: “Access to Repair Parts Act”

Dear Senator Whitehouse:

On behalf of the Quality Parts Coalition, thank you for introducing the “Access to Repair Parts Act.” In these tough economic times, it is critical that the motoring public continues to have access to high-quality, low-cost collision replacement parts. Your legislation is a commitment to the preservation of a 60-year tradition of consumer choice and competition in the automotive aftermarket.

As you well know, competition in the auto repair marketplace saves American consumers \$1.5 billion per year. But in recent years, predatory practices by the car companies have threatened to curb competition, and with it, the benefits motorists see when they repair their vehicles.

The Quality Parts Coalition, an organization representing the interests of consumers and seniors, the independent automotive parts industry, the auto repair industry and the insurance industry, is dedicated to garnering support for the “Access to Repair Parts Act.”

Please let me know how we can assist you in ensuring passage of the “Access to Repair Parts Act”—legislation that will protect the pocketbooks of American motorists and the livelihood of small businesses around the nation.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

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